

Hickory Church of Christ

Imperfect people learning to love perfectly.

Sunday, June 7, 2020

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The Hickory Church of Christ is Praying

HCOC Daily Prayer – Build Your kingdom here. Let the darkness fear. Show Your mighty hand. Heal our streets and land. Set Your church on fire. Win this nation back. Change the atmosphere. Build Your kingdom here. I pray.

Those with weakened immune systems need our additional prayers at this time. **Casey Allen** is facing challenges.

Barry Barlow, is in hospice care. Barry's wife and family (Billie Dennie, Barbara Eddins & Judy Cole) seek our prayers.

Bertrand Awana Belinguine had surgery for a wrist fracture.

Mary Ellen Bross of NY, Dora McDonald's daughter; cancer treatments.

Jerry Burton had a recent heart attack and subsequently got stents.

Shirley Burton, Jerry's older sister in KY, has lung cancer.

Sally Cannon is home, after several hospital stays. Doctors are addressing her kidney and heart challenges.

Karen Catlett, a dialysis patient, hopes to get a kidney soon.

Johnny Catlett, Ray's brother, has cancer.

Mary Nell Covalinski had a partial hip replacement.

Billie Dennie is recovering from a recent fall.

Larry Duncan is continuing with physical therapy, after shoulder surgery.

Barbara Eddins is homebound.

Blanch Fitch, passed May 24 at Carolina Caring-Sherrill's Ford. Pray for comfort for her husband, **Scott Fitch**, & family.

George Floyd family, after he was killed by police officer in Minnesota. Pray for officers who killed him and their families.

Ann Henry and family are coping with the passing of her husband, HCOC's former elder, **Ron Henry**.

Eadie Hopkins is with Larry & Sharon Duncan, after a stay at Trinity Ridge Rehab. She's unable to live alone now.

Jeff tested positive for the coronavirus.

Jane Mays is at Elmcroft Assisted Living.

Mary Nichols is homebound. She has a new granddaughter and step-granddaughter. A child was also born to her nephew's step-daughter. Pray for good health for these babies. Her brother-in-law, **Gene Frady**, passed May 24, from long-term heart problems. Pray for comfort for Mary's sister, **Edna Frady**, and family.

Pam and April Roberts and family are coping with **Mark's** passing.

Marti Shirah has eosinophilic pneumonia. Her weakened immune system inhibits interactions with their grandson.

Lewis & Edith Steelman - Bryan's Dad is not well at Abernethy Laurels. Bryan's Mom has worsening memory issues.

The coronavirus has affected many around the world. Pray for a cure; for strength for those with the virus; for medical workers; for comfort for those who lost loved ones to the virus and for all affected in any way by the pandemic.

Pray that those **seeking employment** will soon find such.

Pray for God's protection and favor, as we resume meeting together.

Pray for God to reveal those who He would have shepherd us.

Pray for God to bless our families and to add others to our number.

Pray that we will all freely share Christ's Gospel and for hearts to be open to it.

Pray for men to rise up and let God be Lord of their lives.

Pray for students; school, police & military staff; and govt. leaders.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June 9 Paxton Powell

June 9 Steve Shirah

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June 11 Karsen Osborne

June 13 David Bierce J

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

June 13 Tom & Debbie Killinger

June Hospitality Coordinator: Margaret Sigmon

Lectionary Readings

Genesis 1:1-2:4a; Psalm 8

2 Corinthians 13:11-13; Matthew 28:16-20

Announcements & Reminders

Praise God, for our being able to be Together Again in Worship. Please continue to pray for our congregation, as we assess optimal format for our times together, while continuing to practice social distancing

Anyone who needs communion supplies can email hickorycofc@gmail.com and arrangements will be made to get these to you.

Sundays at **9:30am** - Adult Zoom Bible Class: Seth Powell will address topics on Christian Evidences. Join Zoom - <https://uso4web.zoom.us/j/75119095194>. Meeting ID: 751 1909 5194

New weekly LIME Study for Women starts tomorrow, Mon., June 8, at 10:30am on Zoom. The study is on Priscilla Shirer's book, *Fervent: A Woman's Battle Plan to Serious, Specific and Strategic Prayer*, based on War Room movie. Buy a book online from Amazon, LifeWay, etc. Contact Barbara Eckard (828-409-5994) for info. Join Zoom Meeting: <https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/84567982738>. Meeting ID: 845 6798 2738.

We hope to have our annual church High School Graduate Celebration and salute our college grads soon, when we deem safe. Jars for dropping in cards, gift cards, etc. for our high school graduates (Morgan Bibbee; Madison Schmidt; Sara Watkins and Braden Wharton) have been prepared. Our college graduates are Bertrand Awana Belinguine, Lucy Brown (Dec.), Dillon King and Nikki Steelman (Dec.). Pray for all of these.

Please let Theresa Watkins, 910-512-4754, know if you have a microwave, end tables, twin bed or kitchen table and chairs you're no longer using.

Congratulations to Noah Franks and Ali Steelman who were married Sunday, May 24th. Please rejoice with and pray for them, as they begin their lives together.

Nick Hall's contact info: PV2 Martin Hall, 31014 Old Iron Sights Ave., Ft. Hood, TX 76543

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